State of Arizona Senate Forty-seventh Legislature First Regular Session 2005

CHAPTER 190

SENATE BILL 1058

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 13-2008, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RENUMBERING SECTION 13-2009, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, AS SECTION 13-2011; AMENDING TITLE 13, CHAPTER 20, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 13-2009 AND SECTION 13-2010; RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Section 13-2008, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

13-2008. <u>Taking identity of another person or entity:</u> classification

- A. A person commits taking the identity of another person or entity if the person knowingly takes, purchases, manufactures, records, POSSESSES OR uses, sells, transfers or transmits any personal identifying information or entity identifying information of another person or entity, including a real or fictitious person or entity, without the consent of that other person or entity, with the intent to obtain. OR use, sell or transfer the other person's or entity's identity for any unlawful purpose or to cause loss to a person or entity whether or not the person or entity actually suffers any economic loss as a result of the offense.
- B. On the request of a person or entity, a peace officer in any jurisdiction in which an element of the offense is committed, a result of the offense occurs or the person or entity whose identity is taken resides or is located shall take a report. The peace officer may provide a copy of the report to any other law enforcement agency that is located in a jurisdiction in which a violation of this section occurred.
- C. If a defendant is alleged to have committed multiple violations of this section within the same county, the prosecutor may file a complaint charging all of the violations and any related charges under other sections that have not been previously filed in any precinct in which a violation is alleged to have occurred. If a defendant is alleged to have committed multiple violations of this section within the state, the prosecutor may file a complaint charging all of the violations and any related charges under other sections that have not been previously filed in any county in which a violation is alleged to have occurred.
- D. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A VIOLATION OF SECTION 4-241 BY A PERSON WHO IS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.
- θ . E. Taking the identity of another person OR ENTITY is a class 4 felony.

Sec. 2. Renumber

Section 13-2009, Arizona Revised Statutes, is renumbered as section 13-2011.

Sec. 3. Title 13, chapter 20, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section 13-2009 and section 13-2010, to read:

13-2009. Aggravated taking identity of another person or entity: classification

A. A PERSON COMMITS AGGRAVATED TAKING THE IDENTITY OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY IF THE PERSON KNOWINGLY TAKES, PURCHASES, MANUFACTURES, RECORDS, POSSESSES OR USES ANY PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OR ENTITY IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF EITHER:

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- 1. FIVE OR MORE OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES, INCLUDING REAL OR FICTITIOUS PERSONS OR ENTITIES, WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES, WITH THE INTENT TO OBTAIN OR USE THE OTHER PERSONS' OR ENTITIES' IDENTITIES FOR ANY UNLAWFUL PURPOSE OR TO CAUSE LOSS TO THE PERSONS OR ENTITIES WHETHER OR NOT THE PERSONS OR ENTITIES ACTUALLY SUFFER ANY ECONOMIC LOSS.
- 2. ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY, INCLUDING A REAL OR FICTITIOUS PERSON OR ENTITY, WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THAT OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY, WITH THE INTENT TO OBTAIN OR USE THE OTHER PERSON'S OR ENTITY'S IDENTITY FOR ANY UNLAWFUL PURPOSE AND CAUSES ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY TO SUFFER AN ECONOMIC LOSS OF THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS OR MORE.
- B. IN AN ACTION FOR AGGRAVATED TAKING THE IDENTITY OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY UNDER SUBSECTION A, PARAGRAPH 1 OF THIS SECTION, PROOF OF POSSESSION OUT OF THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS OF THE PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OR ENTITY IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF FIVE OR MORE OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES MAY GIVE RISE TO AN INFERENCE THAT THE PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF THE FIVE OR MORE OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES WAS POSSESSED FOR AN UNLAWFUL PURPOSE.
- C. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A VIOLATION OF SECTION 4-241 BY A PERSON WHO IS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.
- D. AGGRAVATED TAKING THE IDENTITY OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY IS A CLASS 3 FELONY.

13-2010. <u>Trafficking in the identity of another person or entity: classification</u>

- A. A PERSON COMMITS TRAFFICKING IN THE IDENTITY OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY IF THE PERSON KNOWINGLY SELLS, TRANSFERS OR TRANSMITS ANY PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OR ENTITY IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY, INCLUDING A REAL OR FICTITIOUS PERSON OR ENTITY, WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY FOR ANY UNLAWFUL PURPOSE OR TO CAUSE LOSS TO THE PERSON OR ENTITY WHETHER OR NOT THE OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY ACTUALLY SUFFERS ANY ECONOMIC LOSS.
- B. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A VIOLATION OF SECTION 4-241 BY A PERSON WHO IS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.
- C. TRAFFICKING IN THE IDENTITY OF ANOTHER PERSON OR ENTITY IS A CLASS 2 FELONY.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 25, 2005.

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